



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of
Lee D. Whetsel

TI-31076

Serial No.: 09/864,509

Art Unit: 2133

Filed: May 24, 2001

Examiner: C. Britt

Title: Improvements in or Relating to 1149.1 TAP Linking Modules

Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. §1.136

May 25, 2005

Asst. Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Dear Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) applicant respectfully
petitions the Commissioner for an extension of the shortened
statutory period for response in this application.

The fee for this extension is indicated below:

___ One Month (\$120)
___ Two Months (\$450)
 x Three Months (\$1,020)

Please charge \$1020 to Deposit Account No. 20-0668, of Texas
Instruments Incorporated. Any further necessary extension of time
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Respectfully submitted,

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